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Applicant Ref. No. 7652

Applicants' Response to NOTIFICATION OF MISSING
REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371 IN THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This supplies Applicants' response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 USC 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) dated 20 March 2002. The period for response expired 20 May 2002. Applicants hereby requests a two month extension of time to respond under 37 CFR 1.136(a). The fees required under 37 CFR 1.17 for this extension should be charged to Deposit Account 16-2485.

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 asserts, under Items 2 c) and d) that Applicant(s) are required to submit;

"Oath or Declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by International application number and international filing date". and

"Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 20 or 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).

Accompanying this response is a Declaration complying with the above-requirements. Please charge the requisite fees required under 37 CFR 1.492(e), and any additional fees for the necessary extension of time to Applicant(s) deposit account no. 16-2485. A copy of FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 is enclosed as required.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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